Healey, subsequently defendant's counsel stated that he had railed at the dispensary, and had there learned that the old woman had sufficiently recovered to be removed to ber home, and consequently asked that the accused, his client, be permitted to return to her residence under such reasonable bonds as the court might demand. This the deponent, Maurice Healey, strenuously opposed. The court finally decided not to receive bail until this morning.

## THE BOARD OF HEALTH.

The Soldiers' Business and Messenger Company Again. The Board of Health held their regular weekly meet-

ing yesterday afternoon—one of the Commissioners, in the absence of the President, in the chair.

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There was another lengthy discussion by the officers of the Soldiers' Messenger and Despatch Company concerning their right to erect booths for persons whom they allege to be honorably discharged soldiers; but action was postponed relative to the question for a week. The counsel of the Board, Mr. Eaton, in reply to Attorney General Martindale's argument on the powers of the Board of Heelth in this matter, intimated that it would be well for the company to show at the present time that those persons who are to be granted permission to occupy the booths are really persons who have claims upon the charitable for services rendered to their sountry.

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large concourse of citizens were present and entered remonstrances against the location of booths in richity of their property.

c Citizens' Association protested, as did a large ber of property holders in the neighborhood, against ocation of a booth on the corner of Broadway and a street.

name by artical partisan schemers, without suspecting that they are hiding their own schemes under cover of his respectability.

The managers of the "Citizens' Association" in their communication go as far back as 1683 in their quotations of law, making extensive researches in Great Britain, at an early period of its history, with citations from Lord Loughborough and other historical characters, to sustain their position. But they carefully conceal from the public the law which particularly applies to my office, and which was enacted so close at home as in the State of New York, and at so late a period as the year 1866. I cannot suppose that these managing gentlemen were ignorant of this statute, and I leave the public to judge of their motives for deliberately concealing it and misrepresenting the fact.

The law to which I refer was passed on the 17th day of April, 1866, and may be found in the second volume of the published laws of that year, page 1,319. It requires that the Chamberlain of the city of New York shall, by written notice to the Comptroller of said city, designate not less than three banks in which all the moneys of the city and county shall be deposited. It then goes on to provide as follows:

Section 2. The banks in which such deposits shall be made shall pay proportiouslely to the mouthly balances in each, the office rout of said Chamberlain, the salaries to be fixed by him of his clerks and a Deputy Chamberlain, all of whom the Chamberlain is hereby authorized to appoint and dismiss, &c.

chall pay proportionately to the monthly balances in each, the pay proportionately to the monthly balances in each the him of his clerks amberials, the salaries to be fired by him of his clerks amberials as hereby authorized to appoint and whoch directs that the deposits shall be divided up among several banks, and requires them as their part of duty to pay the expenses of my office, and yet these managers of the Citizens' Association, with full knowledge of the subject, deliberately say that all the moneys are kept in one bank, and no advantage to the city is derived from their use.

My deputy pays the salaries of the clerks and the expenses of the office, and receives from the banks designated whatever they pay. When the gentleman now holding the office of deputy was appointed by me I had received a comparatively small amount from these sources, which I paid over to him, and he has to this time managed that entire business. I have not yet received and applied to my own accounts a single dollar beyond my salary.

At the last session of the Legislature an effort was made by certain gentlemen, to have a law adopted requiring the city funds to be put out at ignerest to the highest bidders for the same, and relieving the Chamberlain from all responsibility for its safe keeping and return. This the Legislature refused to do. It was considered as risking the city money in dangerous spacutation, for odviously the meat rotten banks could afford to pay the highest interest for the money to keep item up, and the public moneys would eventually be swallowed up in some bankrupt institution. It was believed to be better to gridt the principal and preserve the indemnity of the Chamberlain for its safe keeping and return, and so it was left.

The office of City Chamberlain has been in existence since the year 1501, when it was held by Daniel Phorair. It has been beind during the past theirly genes by completing the past theirly reprocessory of the city for the fidelity of the official particular from the moneys bereinfore, th

SALES OF REAL ESTATE YESTERDAY.

METROPOLITAN FIRE DEPARTMENT.

same until May let, 1808. This property is to be a site on which to erect buildings for the use of the commissioners.

A resolution was adopted awarding the contract of the carpenter work for the "Centre Building" to John Marshall at \$51,177; for the masonwork on the same to D. C. Wesk at \$64,800.

A report was received from the committee to whom was referred the applications of blind persons for relief. From this report it appears that there are 396 persons who have applied for relief.

It is proposed to donate to these persons certain sums, to be divided into four classes as follows:—

First class—Those persons having at least five minor children, \$100 and two tons of coal.

Second Class—Those having less than five but more than two minor children, \$75 and two tons of coal.

Third Class—Those having one or more children, \$60 and two tons of coal.

Fourth Class—Married blind persons, \$50

These donations to be distributed under the direction of the Superintendent of Outdoor Poor. The sum of \$20,000 was appropriated for the relief of the blind by the Legislature, but the amount transferred to this Department was \$19,400. According to the foregoing classification the amount to be disbursed will be \$20,335. The report of the committee was adopted and the board adjourned.

The Board of Audit met yesterday noon and investigated the claims of the following newspapers:—
The New Yorker.—Advertising for the city, \$798 80, and \$2,112 for the county. From the evidence adduced it appeared that this was not a corporation paper; but that from the year 1863 to 1867 Mr. C. Mathews, the proprietor of the New Yorker, had never received any written authority to publish the corporation or the county advertisements; but had merely been verbaly directed by the officers or cierks of the various city and county beards and the heads of departments to publish the notices. Decision reserved.

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The Evening Express presented a claim for \$22,136 to for advertising for the city, and \$1,956 50 for advertising for the county. These claims extend back as far as 1854. It was proved that the Express was, and had been, a corporation paper since 1850. Decision reserved.

The Board then adjourned.

INTERNAL REVENUE MATTERS.

Some weeks ago the Dietillers' and Rectifiers' Assointion resolved to suspend the distillation of spirits until such time as the price of whiskey had advanced to \$3 per gallon. As it has been found impossible, however, to prevent the influx of 'fraud' whiskey from the West, the local distillers have agreed to reopen their stablishments. Whiskey went up under the suspension but it never resched \$2 per gallon. As that sum with amount of tax simply, sud as selling spirits at that price would still be a losing game, it may be set down as a fact, beyond all peradventure, that whiskey offered for sale at less than \$2.50 is prime facts "fraud" shiskey and has never paid tax, whether it be of Wetern or local manufacture.

The following sellures were reported vesterday. Some weeks ago the Distillers' and Rectifiers' Assoils-

Five barrels of whiskey at the Eric Railroa pier, Morth river. Detained for investigation as to the payment of tax.

The rectifying establishment of William R. L.wis & Co., Nos. 101 and 103 Furman street, Brooklyn. Clarge—Having on hand more spirits than are accounted for in the books of the concern.

Twenty-five barrels of whiskey, marked K in diamond, seized at No. 56 Broadway and detained to prove tax paid.

Ten barrels of whiskey seized at pier 10 North river Detained to prove tax paid.

AFFAIRS AT THE COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE A Case of Conscience—\$100 Paid Into the City Treasury.

Compiroller Connolly yesterday received the follow-

RICHARD S. CONNOLLY, Req.:—
DEAR NIE: Buclosed you will please find \$100, bring target on personal estate amounting to \$3,750 one theteity to one of its tar payers, sought to be withheld, butwhose conscience will not permit of rest until this restitution is made. Please make the proper application of the same

BROOKLYN CITY.

City Court Calendar—This Day. Held by Judge Thompson. Court opens at ten o'clock A. M.

Nos.

91.—Brennan vs McNeeley.
78.—Bodell vs. Thorne.
98.—Lane vs. Sweeny.
100.—Mentrup vs. Wisklee.
105.—Berry vs. Voges.
107.—Dayton vs. Bobbas and another.
108.—Wood vs. Sweeny.
108.—Wood vs. Sweeny.
109.—Cumearsos.
119.—Morgan & Laird v glob.—Wood vs. Sweeny.
119.—Conner vs. Duff.
119.—Enmore vs. Otto

WRITED STATES CHOUIT COURT—EASTERN DISTRICT.

An Oil Rollnery Condemned. Befow Judge Benedick. On motion of Assistant United States District ion the oil refiner of Mesara. Lidden & Hicks, in

The Counterfelting Business—Arrest for Possessing Counterfelt Plates.
[Before Commissioner Newton.

A man named Alexander Cochard was ar

rected yesterday afternoon by operative Gaillard, of the Secret Service Division, and taken before Commissions Newton, on the charge of having had in his possision a number of lithographic plates such as ar used in the manufacture of counter-

Charged with Rescuing Property Under Seizure.

Belm Commissioner Jones.

United States v. Philip Duffy, John Duffy, Patrick Duffy and Michael Farrell.—The defendants were arrested on the charge of having removed property under

CITY COURT.

Action for Aleged Malicious Presecution.

Infore Judge Thompson.

Perdinand Gainer vs. William Aiker.—This settle

was brought to ecover \$5,000 damages for alleged ma-icious prosecuton. It appears that the defendant is between Sixth ad Seventh avenues, in this city, which street (Twenty econd) is not opened or graded. In May last defendant was informed by his wife that plaintiff had taken dis from his lots, and defendant thereupon

COURT OF SESSIONS.

Before Judge Dikeman and Justices Hoyt and Voorhees. John Kelly and Thomas Sweeney, two young men of rather respectable appearance, were placed on trial yes-terday, charged with burglary in having, on the night of August 17th last, broken through the front window of Mrs. Margaret Anderson's store, at No. 72 Flatbush avenue, and storen therefrom a quantity of toys valued at about \$10. Mrs. Anderson testified that she saw some man thrus: his hands through the window and some man thrust his hands through the window and remove the toys. From the testimony of officer De Clue it appeared that he traced the prisoners to a stable in the vicinity, where he found them asleep with the toys scattered about them. Mrs. Anderson could not positively identify the property, but stated that it was similar to that ateles from her store. On the preliminary examination before Justice Morehouse, Kelly pleaded guilty and stated that he was under the influence of inquer at the time of the commission of the offence. The jury yesterisy rendered a verdict of guilty and the prisoners were each sentenced to the peniteutiary for one year.

A negro named Thomas Jackson, aged twenty years, was tried and convicted yesterday afternoon of having stolen a horse from the stable of James Smith, in Pacific street, which he burglariously entered on the night of the ôth of August last. It appeared that the prisoner disposed of the heres to one Fred, Busick, of East New York, who gave him another animal in return. Judge Direman sentenced Jackson to the Penitentary for one year.

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John Moran was tried for having burglariously entered the liquor store of Mr. McCormack, at No. 343 Pacific street, on the night of the 10th of September last, and stoten therefrom about \$22 in pennies. The prisoner was arrested at about helf-past four o'clock on the following merning, in company with a boy named Thomas Farrell, and a portion of the property was found in his poncession. Farrell, however, was only detained as a witness. He testified that Moran committed the larceny, while he (witness) remained in an open lot in the vicinity. The prisoner subsequently returned with the pennies.

The jury rendered a verdict convicting the prisoner, who was sentenced to the State Prison for three years. Richard Young, indicated for grand larceny, in secaling a quantity of wearing apparel from T. W. Young on the 25th of August, pleaded guilty, and was sentenced to State Prison for five years.

RROOKLYN INTELLIGENCE.

Featival of the Plymouth Sabbath School closed last evening and was numerously attended. The exercises were of an interesting character and passed off in the most eatisfactory manner. The proceeds go to the Sab-nath school.

AN ILLICIT DISTILLURY SEIRED. - Testerday afternoon Deputy Collector Perry soized an alleged illicit still in an old shed in a lot near the corner of Van Brunt and William streets, South Brooklyn. The still was of some two hundred gallons capacity.

MORE ABOUT THE MIDNIGHT INTERVIEW.—Mrs. A.

Kitchell, whose name appeared in the Hanall of Wed-nesday last in connection with an interesting trial in the Court of Sessions, desires to say that she has only been married once, and not twice, as was reported to have been stated in court during the progress of the trial.

BROOKLYN POLITICS.

Republican Judicial Convention. The Republican Judicial Convention for the Second district met yesterday afternoon, in the Supreme Court room in the new Court House. After the names of the delegates had been called it was moved that Mr. William delegates had been called it was moved that Mr. William Fullerton, of Newburg, be nominated for Judge of the Supreme Court for the long term. A letter was read from Mr. Fullerton, in which, he said he would accept the nomination for the short term. He was thereupon nominated. A recease of half an hour was then taken. On the reassembling of the delegates an informal ballot was taken, with the following result:—
George G. Reynous, 10; C. H. Winfield, 6; S. W. Fullertos, 11; G. W. Parsons, 13, and J. W. Brown, 2

WESTCHESTER.

CANNON EXPLOSION AT KARL'S PARK.—While a number of target excursionists were preparing to leave Karl's Germania Park, at Metrose, where they had been spend-

of juveniles resident in the town of Morrisania which has just been submitted by the cierk of the Board of Education, Mr. James Stillman, it would appear there are something like four thousand six hundred and sev-

The First Assembly District Democratic Convention was held at the Sherman House, in the village of Youkers, yesterday, at which Samuel M. Purdy, of West Farms, the present incumbent, received the nomination by acclamation. A feeling of praiseworthy unanimity was manifested throughout the entire proceedings.

NEW JERSEY.

A Man Found Drownsd.—The body of a man apparently thirty-five years of age was taken out of the water at the Central Railroad wharf on Wednesday evening by a bostman named John Mahony. He was about five feet eight inches in height, had dark hair and about five feet eight inches in height, had dark hair and was dressed in a black cassimere cost, with pants and vest of the same material. The body appeared to have been in the water five or six days. In one of the pockets a few cents were found, with a note-book, in the fly-leaf of which was written "Herman Gunther, 238 West Thirty-second street, New York." Some words were written in German in another portion of the book under the name "Dr. Alexander Hogarth," signifying "God will take me to heaven," The body was conveyed to the Almahouse, and an inquest will be held by Coroner Warren.

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Yacer Racing in this Bay.—A race came off yesterday afternoon between the Nettie and the Lift, which was won by the former. The course was ten miles threagh the bay. Another race will come off on Monday, from Bean's boathouse, for the champloinship. Entrance fee, \$3; open to all boats, cat-rigged, twenty-five feet and under. The following boats bave been entered for this race:—Martha, Beauty, Spunky, Ellie, Comet, Sea Bird and Georgia.

Hudson City.

Garrotting.—A man named Robert McKieban was attacked by four men on Wednesday night in South Bergen, near the residence of Mr. Patten, and robbed of a gold watch and chain, a note of \$350 by Woolsey & Co., a note of \$200 by Rogers & Co., and one of \$110

Newark.

Jawaiay Shore Sazan.—The United States revenue officials of Newark have recently seized several of the prominent jewelty shops in Newark on charges of eva-sion of the United States revenue laws. The names of the proprietors of the places seized are withheid until the investigations are completed. First — Yesterday noon a fire was discovered in the rear

First.—Yesterday noon a fire was discovered in the rear of Mr. William A. Garder's store, No. 8 Bank street. It was extinguished by the neighbors, after a loss of \$60 had been occasioned.

Somerville.

Pointcal.—The democrats of Somerest county have made the following nominations:—For Assemblyman, First district, John J. Bergen, Second district, Abraham T. Huff. For Surrogate, William S. Potter.

Franklin.

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Districtive Fire—Aboat one o'clock yesterday morning a fire broke out in the Forgot Coal Company's turf factory. The entire building, with the machinery and stock contained therein, was completely destroyed. The loss is about \$10,000; partially insured. A neighboring residence and barnatached thereto were asved. The fire is supposed to have been the work of an incendiary. cendiary.

A Bold Robbert Descrive officer E. Bays, of the Twenty-seventh precinct police, New York, in compliance with information received from the police in this city, arrested Michael Faber in New York and brought him hither restards.

city, arrested Michael Faber in NewYork and brought him hither yeaterday morning. Fisher is a tailor, and worked in the establishment of William Beffe, in this city. It is alleged that leat week be skedaddied, taking with him a piece of cloth, two silver watches and other valuable articles amounting in all to upwards of \$100. Fart of the booty was found in his possession and recognized by the loser. He was committed to the county jain to await the action of the Grand Jury.

THE TORMAY TRACEDY AT NEWARK.

Continuation of the Trial of Walsh and Parrelly.

At half-past nine o'clock yesterday morning the trial of Walsh and Farrelly, for the murder of Patrick Tormay, at Newark, was continued. The prisoners seemed to realize their position more than on the previous day. The court was densely crowded.

Elizabeth Mare, being duly sworn, testified—I live at 245 Warren street; that is on the same side the murder was committed; I remember the night of the 4th of July; my attention was attracted to something that night about eleven o'clock; my attention was attracted by a scuffie in the sidewalk; I could not bee anything from the front window, so I went to the side window and looked out on the vacant lot; I saw three men there, and looked out on the vacant lot; I saw three men there, one with his back toward me and the others with their faces toward me; the one with his back toward me said. "You cut me;" one of the others said, "You lie, you s-of a b-;" somebody said, "You have cut me from ear

THE TYBURN (PA.) MURDER. Capture and Identification of the Alleged

Capture and Identification of the Alleged Assassin.

About seven o'clock on Wednesday night detective officer George W. Keily, acting on the description given of Brown, the supposed murderer of Benjamin Hogan—the full details of which appeared in yesterday's Heralo—pursued and captured him about a mile above Pennington, N. J., in a white man's house, with whom he had just hired for a month. He arrived in Trenton early yesterday morning, and was securely condined to await a proliminary investigation before Justice Johnson at eight o'clock A. M. The news of his apprehension appear with electric rapidity through the city, and numbers flocked to the poince office to catch a glimpse of the putative criminal. His fellow negroes—male and female—congregated in marses also, and manifested the utmost gratification at his capture, and many volunteered to identify him, but none of the darkies were permitted inside the station. At eight o'clock the captive was conducted from his boiled cell into the police court. He walked esteatibily along, and on antering the judicial apariment cast his glaring eyes on the breathless speciators. The contour of his features at times were a remorseful aspect, and occasionally a tregic, determined and relentiess look mantled his face. Robert, B. Ivana, a very respectable person from his neighborhood, identified him as Abraham Brown, and in answer to the question whether he committed the deed Brown replied, "Not guilty," but he was counseled to be plead. He was committed to the country juit to await a requisition from Governor Geary for his removal to Fennaylvania for trial.